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Initials only  
New York, June 1<sup>st</sup> 1858

Professor Jas C. Booth  
Philadelphia.

Dear Sir,

The price of  
Aluminium in bars or in plates is  
\$3.50 per oz. I have some in plates now  
and expect to receive soon some more in  
bars and plates.

Some Jewellers here call this  
metal aluminum. Is not this a barbarism?  
They say Webster writes it so. I never heard  
it or saw it written in Europe otherwise than  
aluminium, and would like to know whether  
that is not correct.

Yours respectfully,

Victor Bishop



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N. York

Aluminium